From: Bowman, Randal To: Spano, Julie

Subject: Re: disposal of comments on the National Monument Review

Date: Thursday, October 26, 2017 12:43:55 PM

Thank you for getting on this. Whenever I thought I had time to pursue it, something else came up that needed immediate attention.

On Thu, Oct 26, 2017 at 10:05 AM, Spano, Julie < <u>julie spano@ios.doi.gov</u>> wrote: Good Morning Ladies,

We have been trying to get an answer from David and his group regarding the removal of the boxes from 5013 that have the monument review comments. Jennifer hasn't recieved a reply from David yet, and we are getting ready to meet with a furniture installer for that office space. Can you please let me know who I should talk to so I can get these records boxes moved?

Thanks, Julie

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Date: Mon, Oct 2, 2017 at 9:16 AM

Subject: Fwd: disposal of comments on the National Monument Review

To: Julie Spano < julie spano@ios.doi.gov > Cc: Julia Bennett < julia_bennett@ios.doi.gov >

Hi Julie,

Below is an update from Randy regarding the removal of boxes in room 5013. These boxes contain all of the mailed in comments from the Monuments Notice.

I'm still waiting to hear back from David Alspach, Records Officer for the Office of the Secretary.

Jennifer

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From: **Bowman, Randal** < <u>randal_bowman@ios.doi.gov</u>>

Date: Thu, Sep 28, 2017 at 10:57 AM

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To: David Alspach < david_alspach@ios.doi.gov >

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David, I am managing the monument review process for the Secretary's office. I believe we met during the initial weeks of the effort, while discussions were underway within the CIO's office on approval of the DiscoverText system for reviewing public comments.

The process is concluded from the public comment standpoint, and there are somewhat over 100,000 comments that were mailed into the Department temporarily stored in room 5013. All of these comments have been uploaded into the <u>regulations.gov</u> site, appropriately reviewed, and are available for public inspection from that site.

Gabe Lohn of SOL and Nicholas Banco of the FOIA office have examined these and agree they should be disposed of by the Secretary's records officer - who I am advised is yourself - in accordance with applicable procedures.

The room in which they are located is in the process of being occupied, and I have been told the space is needed. The comments are in large brown boxes on the floor.

As a reminder, these comments are not part of any regulatory process, but were voluntarily requested by the Secretary as part of his review of National Monuments.

Jennifer Stevenson, who sits in the interior office immediately past the boxes of comments, is the contact person for their removal.

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